

PARCELS and FOXWELL are SHIPPING CATTLE & HOGS on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16th

The Chauvin Chronicle

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MANITOULAKE COUNCIL MEETING: MINUTES

Minutes of a meeting of the Council held in the office at Marsden, Sask. on the 2nd day of February 1925.

Councillor Dutton took the oath of office.

Present: Reeve Berry; Chas Rogers, Wells, Lawson, Dutton and Bradley.

The Minutes of the meeting of January 1925 were read and approved on motion.

Marsden Doctor: A delegation from the Marsden Board of Trade approached the Council, whether the Council could grant assistance with the building of a house as an aid to getting a doctor to locate in Marsden. The Council although sympathetic to the undertaking assured the delegation that they (the Council) could not undertake to build a house but that they would be willing to consider aiding a doctor in some manner should he consider coming here and prove himself worthy of consideration at their hands.

Schools: A delegation from the Artland School District approached the Council regarding the present position of their School District. A petition was also presented to the Artland School District. Nothing was done by the Council in regard to either matter.

Change of Div. Bouns: A petition was presented asking that that portion of 46-27-3rd lying south and east of the Battle River be placed from Div. 5 into Div. 6. The position of this land since the advent of the R. R. center at Unwin seeming to the Council to warrant a change the Secretary was ordered to take the matter of the proposed change before the Dept. of Munc. Affairs with the object of having changes as asked effected.

Resolutions: The Reeve called section 201 of the Act to the attention of the Council and submitted a resolution asking that the words "An Annual" be struck from the said section and the word "A" be substituted motion that the resolution be forwarded to the convention.

Weeds Course: Dutton: That O. H. Scholin be paid the necessary expense of attending the weeds course at Saskatoon. Car'd Association of R. M. S. Wells; that we continue our membership with the Association of Rural Municipalities of Saskatchewan and that the year membership fee of \$15.00 be forwarded. Car'd

Expenses of Convention: Dutton: that an amount of \$125.00 be allowed as convention expense and that any member of the council, including the secretary, be allowed to go if he wishes to. Car'd

Gopher Poison: Dutton: that A. E. Edwards be given the contract for the gopher poison (Ever-ready) for 1925 and that in future the poison contract be asked by tender. Car'd

Penalties: The secretary was asked to cancel the penalties on the N. E. 28 46 25 3, as through no fault of the owner the taxes did not arrive in the office until after the year end. Car'd

Pool Room: The secretary submitted to the council two applications for a license for a pool hall in the hamlet of Unwin. The council ordered that both be granted, but provided that one of the licensees did not open up a business he would be allowed rebate of the amount paid for said license.

Tax Sale Title Time Extended: Bradley: that we grant extension of the period for obtaining title until the end of December 1925 on all lands upon which application for title is pending under the application by Municipal certificates. Car'd

Hospital Aid: Rogers; that we continue to make grants to hospitals covering hospital accounts the same as we have done in the past and that the fees payable be the same as in the year 1924. Car'd

Accounts: The following bills were passed for payment:
Lashburn Hospital 205.50
St. Pauls Hospital 8.00
Unity Hospital 4.50
Telephones Dec. 1.25
Stationery S. Com. 42.00
Surveys 74.50
A. L. Colbriens 11.25
" (Def. B. of C.) 36.01
Div. 2 10.50
Moved to adjourn. Car'd. The next meeting will be held in the office on the 9th day of March 1925.

LIVESTOCK AND DAIRY POOL MEETING AT EDGERTON

A very interested audience listened to Messrs Slattery and Love, who spoke respectively on the Cattle Pool and Dairy Pool in Milne's Hall on Tuesday February 3rd.

The degree of interest could be measured by the large percentage of the audience that signed contracts at the close of the addresses.

Mr. Slattery, the first speaker, briefly sketched the outstanding success of the Wheat Pool, proving as he went how beneficial its effect was upon the business of the country as a whole, as well as to the farmer. He outlined the unsatisfactory condition of the livestock industry, stating that in some cases, cost of production so exceeded the market value that the owners preferred to knock the calves on the head rather than raise them. The speaker laid particular emphasis on the two essentials necessary to success in the Pool Project. They are control of the supply and the possession of an export market. Having the first, the buyer has to seek us. The possession of the second frees us from the dictation of the packers.

The formation of a Provincial

Pool and eventually an Interprovincial Pool is favored by the various livestock shipping associations already in existence. For they find that while doing their best for the farmers, they are really competing against each other when it comes to the selling end. Mr. Slattery quoted figures showing the enormous export trade of the Argentine and Australia to Great Britain, and then gave the insignificant dribble that drains from Canada, which made one feel, that something was rotten in the state of our livestock industry.

The pertinent remark was made that any child can sell, but few men can really market.

We depend too much upon packers information. When it is in our mind that 50 per cent of the hogs in the past year, entered the packing plants without ever going to the open market, we have some idea of their influence, and can easily understand that their objective is not exactly ours. Our contract is watertight yet elastic, asking nothing unreasonable, yet protecting the interests of the association. Mr. Brownlee is chiefly responsible first; it was however submitted to Mr. Sapiro, who recommended it.

Mr. Love in speaking for the

Dairy Pool stated that while Alberta has (thanks to Mr. Mark-er) perhaps the best system of marketing butter on the continent, it would help the Government very much if there was a constant supply available, which the Pool would ensure.

As an instance of what co-operation can do, he quoted the price the Fraser Valley farmers received for their cream this summer. 62½ cents while the prairie farmer was receiving 32 or 35 cents. The B.C. men had carried on a fight for 15 years before the victory could be made possible. They are such thorough co-operators that when "interests" opposed to them, offered a 10c premium, not a single farmer defaulted. Mr. Love gave as one reason for their poor price we receive on an average for the year, is on account of the heavy overhead expense the small creamery is put to during the winter months.

The suggestion was made, that during the winter months, the small creameries be closed and the cream shipped to some central point.

The Dairy contract was also largely to Mr. Brownlee's efforts and also received Mr. Sapiro's recommendation. At the

close of the meeting, the country around Edgerton was divided into its various districts and canvassers appointed. Where U.F.A. locals are in operation there was no difficulty. The problem was somewhat difficult in the unorganized territories.

Mr. Parkinsen of Edgerton is acting secretary, and all canvassers will report to him.

This is only one of the steps, that the farmer will have to take, before he brings about his own economic emancipation.

It is a national duty devolving upon this class, as well as serving its own selfish interests, to lift itself to a position of economic independence.

THE C. G. I. T. NOTES

The C.G.I.T. Busy Bee Society held their monthly social at Mrs. Parcels' home Friday evening last.

They first held their regular business meeting and then all went to the rink for a skating party. They then returned to Mrs. Parcels and spent the remaining part of the evening in games. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Parcels.

Soaps have advanced in price—but look at Saker's add on page 2

CHAUVIN BONSPIEL RESULTS

GRAND CHALLENGE

Dell 15	Dell 12	Dell 10	Pigeon (game defaulted)	Reynolds
Ripley 10				
Newstead 13	Newstead 10			
McKeechnie 3				
Pigeon 13	Pigeon 16	Pigeon 13		
Parcels 9	Hassall 12			
	Keith 9	Reynolds 15		
	Reynolds 11			
	Stewart 12	Stewart 4		
	Harris 8			

VANDERLIP COMPETITION

Keith 8	Stewart 9	Stewart 6	Reynolds 11	Newstead
Stewart 11				
Hassall 11	Hassall 6			
Pigeon 8				
Harris 2	Reynolds 12	Reynolds 4		
Reynolds 15	Keith 5			
	Dell 3	Parcels 9		
	Parcels 15	Newstead 12		
	Newstead 10			
	Ripley 8			

CONSOLATION

Ripley 10	McKeechnie 10	Keith 2	Keith
McKeechnie 13			
	Keith 11		
Harris	Hassall	Hassall 5	

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF RIBSTONE, No. 421 FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st 1924.

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance as per Bank Pass Books at December 31st 1923	13336.49	
Cash on Hand at December 31st 1923	9120.51	22457.00
Municipal Taxes	21362.55	
Supplementary Revenue Taxes	5177.42	
Wild Lands Taxes	2086.86	
Educational Taxes	854.47	
School Taxes, foreign schools	21117.78	
Hall Insurance Taxes	30.67	50699.76
Tax Recovery and Distraints	292.54	
Destruction of Pests and Weeds	401.27	
Advances Repaid during Current Year for Seed Grain	2196.44	
Loans Current Year, Municipal	29798.78	
Loans current Year, Relief	110.60	
Provincial Grant	19.15	
Provincial Roadwork Repaid	303.80	
Cemetery	26.00	
Hall Rent	67.50	
Training School	1899.52	
Training School Fee, recovered	330.00	
School District Commissions	9.46	2538.28
Total outstanding cheques at December 31, 1924		435.66
Municipal Account		435.66

DISBURSEMENTS

Total Cheques Outstanding at Dec. 31, 1923	9967.22	
Paid Department of Municipal Affairs:		
Supplementary Revenue Taxes	4066.19	
Wild Lands Taxes	1727.80	
Educational Taxes	692.37	
Paid School Boards on School Estimates (or Collection)	13424.67	19911.03
Paid Cemetery	60.00	
Destruction of Weeds	401.40	
Loans, Municipal Principal	29738.41	
Municipal, Interest	1038.68	26765.09
Board of Health	853.06	
Assessor	259.00	
Relief	140.00	1243.06
Salaries, Secretary Treasurer	290.85	
Auditor	433.10	1453.10
Councillors' Fees for Council Meetings	198.25	
Attendance and Mileage	456.05	
Councillors Fees for Supervision of roads	393.50	
Secretary-Treasurer Bond	12.50	
Postage, Stationery and Office Supplies	552.68	
Delegates Expenses & Membership Fee	48.50	
Election Expenses	134.77	183.27
Labor	8639.00	
Machinery and Repairs	1981.00	
Material	355.65	10977.74
Sundries	1.51	
Tax Sale Costs, Distraints	417.70	
Excess Pound Fees	52.15	
Office Rent	139.00	
Training School Fees, Red Deer	360.00	
Road Division, Learig	393.00	
Workmen's Compensation	90.94	
Commission to Secretary-Treasurer	125.14	
Taxes and License, Hall	14.70	
Provincial Roadwork	203.80	
Surveying	728.45	
Coyote Bounties	80.00	
Seed Grain paid to Province	13756.35	
Grants to Fairs etc.	250.00	
Hall Cretorian	25.00	
Insurance	31.09	17361.73
Credit Balance at December 31st 1924 as per Bank Pass Books		10662.37
Municipal Account, (General)	1363.08	
Provincial Taxes Trust Account	850.93	
School Taxes Trust Account	1275.98	
Total Bank Balance	4648.23	17625.21
Cash on Hand		435.66
Total		108847.46

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ASSETS

Total Bank Balance as per Pass Books December 31st 1924	12976.98	
Cash on Hand December 31, 1924	4648.23	17625.21
Uncollected Municipal Taxes	1734.12	
Uncollected Supp. Revenue Taxes	4489.30	
Uncollected Wild Lands Taxes	23018.70	
Uncollected Educational Taxes	1428.27	
Uncollected School Taxes	15131.62	
Uncollected Hall Insurance Taxes	56.45	41895.46
Advances to School Districts in Excess of Collections	6352.67	
Advances Uncollected Seed Grain	12979.47	
Land and Buildings for Municipal Purposes	1500.00	
Office Furniture and Fixtures	700.00	
Machinery and Tools	4400.00	5100.00
Commissions due on Taxes Collected	76.26	
Uncollected Relief	1339.10	
Cemetery Lands	500.00	
Grasshopper Poison	45.00	
Distraints Costs due	49.65	
Total		87979.08

Total Outstanding Cheques at Dec. 31, 1924	435.66	
Uncollected Supp. Revenue Taxes	4893.30	
Uncollected Wild Lands Taxes	2018.70	
Uncollected Educational Taxes	1428.27	
Uncollected School Taxes	15131.62	
Uncollected Hall Insurance Taxes	56.45	24224.24
Due Department Supplementary Revenue Tax Collections	1065.93	
Due Department Wild Lands Tax Coll.	329.06	
Due Department Education Tax Coll.	135.66	1531.65
Due School Districts	765.80	
Due Hall Insurance Board	30.67	
Loans Outstanding at December 31st, 1924:		
Private	16528.36	
Due to Province	33112.78	
Machinery and Supplies	655.00	
Balance Assets over Liabilities	11294.81	
Total		87979.08

SCHOOL TAXES

Name of School District	No. of Acreage	Total Assessed Valuation	Mill Rate	Current Taxes	Total Uncollected at Dec. 31, 1923	Penalties Added in 1924	Total Due	Total Collected in 1924	Exemptions and Cancellations	Total Uncollected at Dec. 31, 1924	Amount School Districts Paid on Estimates for Current Year	Amount Paid School Districts on Estimates During Year & Refunds	Amount Paid in Excess of Collections including previous years.	Collections in Excess of Payments including previous years
Edinlassle	1973	15000	19804.00	10	2024.16	2385.66	124.53	4514.35	2778.60	194.28	1641.47	1350.00	1360.00	410.30
Ribstone	1629	15671	126185.00	12	1640.25	139.98	189.44	3099.68	1400.01	62.21	1637.46	1100.00	1135.47	992.39
Freemore	2156	11018	16390.00	8	1151.64	194.31	84.19	3739.17	2760.42	82.04	896.71	1300.00	1500.00	412.36
Airle	2580	8411	102179.00	14	1713.67	1718.65	97.90	3739.17	2760.42	82.04	896.71	1300.00	1600.00	289.82
Creethill	2604	9888	104397.00	17	1893.12	1718.65	97.90	3709.67	1354.30	446.65	1408.72	1100.00	1200.00	959.66
Kilmarney	2536	11586	166906.00	9	1524.00	1607.72	144.81	3340.53	1628.62	485.35	1253.56	1200.00	1200.00	642.78
St. Jean Baptiste	2828	8788	116779.00	14	1578.55	2235.27	260.83	4174.70	1408.55	203.02	2653.13	900.00	900.00	1155.45
La Pearl	2824	8289	98642.00	8	788.92	1043.12	76.91	1908.95	876.33	1032.62	870.00	870.00	438.87	
McCafferty	2723	960	8140.00	18	1456.52	172.19	9.18	327.87	179.10	148.77	70.00	70.00	70.00	74.20
Bloomington Valley	1757	5657	107420.00	8	885.04	1548.81	54.31	2462.16	1550.24	369.59	543.23	476.76	476.76	440.64
Prospect Valley	2129	7603	74027.00	12	888.30	866.01	40.03	1794.34	1039.60	140.60	614.14	500.00	500.00	256.40
Ronos	2103	8368	42097.00	12	850.14	144.38	7.83	957.35	485.89	69.9	164.47	400.00	452.17	132.81
Northern Crown	2240	6301	75116.00	9	683.66	875.18	62.02	1620.86	822.27	20.32	798.27	650.00	650.00	371.43
Green Meadow	3397	3961	59851.00	5	308.42	669.94	42.18	1020.54	822.54	48.00	228.00	228.00	228.00	35.64
Butteville	2794	7332	130710.00	12	1296.58	1002.42	35.15	2334.15	1260.55	137.48	936.12	1000.00	1000.00	497.15
Bromewing	4002	1280	17974.00	5	89.87	36.96	4.08	130.91	84.13	46.78	80.00	80.00	80.00	9.87
Totals		156313.00	16992.16	19113.38	1276.41	37421.95	19390.74	2359.59	15131.62	12824.76	12901.40	6352.67	765.80	

PROVINCIAL TAXES

Supp. Revenue	195388	210390.90	3	1	4504.94	876.37	459.16	10690.97	5177.42	824.25	4899.30	14.09	4066.19	1066.83
Wild Lands	19281	27193.00	10	1	2604.96	3065.43	237.10	6193.49	1008.05	3055.85	1137.92		1217.80	329.06
Educational	5733	91225	795680.72	3	1 1/4	973.58	1450.07	88.40	2512.05	854.47	229.31	1428.27	Dr. 26.44	135.66
Totals					3779.48	10192.87	824.66	19396.51	9088.75	1971.49	9336.27			

Statement of Seed Grain Advances

Due to Province December 31st 1923	46899.14
Total Amt. Repaid by District on Loans in 1924	13756.35
Balance Owed by District on Loans at December 31, 1924	3312.79
Farmers' Notes Renewed During Current year	13902.16
Total Current Advances and Renewals	15175.91
With Interest	212.75
Total Amount Repaid by Farmers on Notes During Year	2196.44
Balance Owed District by Farmers at December 31, 1924	12979.47

I hereby Certify to the Correctness of this Statement:
 Dated at Edmonton this 11th day of February 1925

PATRIQUE & JOHNSTONE, Auditors
 per W. T. JOHNSTONE
 TOM H. SAUL Sec-Treas.

TAKE NOTICE that a Meeting of the Electors of the Municipal District of Ribstone, No. 421, will be held at the Municipal Hall, Ribstone, at one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the Twenty-first day of February 1925 for the discussion of the affairs of the district, and the nomination of candidates for the office of councillors and that such nominations will be there and then received between the hours of three and four o'clock in the afternoon.
 T. H. SAUL Secretary-Treasurer

Expenditure on Public Works

Location of Expenditure	Labor	Machinery and Repairs	Material	TOTAL
Div. 1.	1489.86	486.03	28.20	2004.09
Div. 2.	1658.06	518.48	52.76	2129.29
Div. 3.	1647.18	212.75	35.14	1945.07
Div. 4.	1737.04	573.69	116.58	2427.31
Div. 5.	891.62	91.68	26.13	1009.43
Div. 6.	1315.33	100.37	46.85	1462.56
Total	8639.09	1983.00	365.65	10977.74

MEMORANDUM OF EQUIPMENT

Ditcher Grader	1
Drugs	4
Grades	4
Shush Scrapers	48
Plows	17
Fresnos	13
Small Veterinary Outfit	1
Adding Machine	1
Rotary Duplicator	1
Set of Banding Irons	1
Estimated Value	\$4400.00

Report Remuneration of Councillors for Supervision of Road Work

Div.	Division	Name of Councillor	Days Engaged	Rate per Day	Amount Due	Miles Travelled	Rate per Mile	Amount Due	Total Due	Amount Paid During Year	Mileage		Meetings	Amount	Balance Due from Previous Year	Amount Paid During Year	Balance Owed
											No.	Rate		No.	Rate		
Div. 1.	A. Delinger																
Div. 2.	A. & D. Meurin		5	4.00	20.00	142	10c	14.20	24.20	34.20	10	4.00	40.00	248	10c	24.80	78.00
Div. 2.	A. Ferguson		7	4.00	28.00	163	10c	16.30	44.30	44.30	11	5.00	55.00	240	10c	24.00	79.00
Div. 2.	E. B. Lang		123	4.40	541.20	266	10c	26.60	77.60	77.60	10	4.00	40.00	302	10c	30.20	70.20
Div. 4.	W. J. Sowell		14	4.00	56.00	252	10c	25.20	81.20	81.20	11	4.00	44.00	283	10c	28.30	49.20
Div. 5.	J. McClellan		14	4.00	56.00	282	10c	28.20	84.20	84.20	11	4.00	44.00	283	10c	28.30	49.20
Div. 6.	W. E. Tunney		13	4.00	52.00	200	10c	20.00	72.00	72.00	12	4.00	48.00	334	10c	33.40	86.40
Totals					263.00	1206	10c	120.60	393.50	393.50							

Indemnity Council Meetings and Mileage

MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

Near Chauvin, Alberta
Saturday, March 7th 1925

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by the Land Titles Act, under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the Post Office in the village of Chauvin in the province of Alberta, on Saturday the 14th day of March, 1925, at the hour of 2.00 in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The North West quarter of Section Thirty-two (32) in Township Forty-one (41) Range Two (2) West of the Fourth Meridian, containing One Hundred and Sixty (160) acres more or less, reserving unto His Majesty all mines and minerals and subject to the exceptions, reservations and conditions in the original grant thereof from the Crown and in the existing Certificate of Title.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent. cash at time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions in the original grant at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserve bid and free from all encumbrances, save taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about eight and a half miles from the village of Chauvin, about 11 miles to the N.W. corner of 110 acres of open land, 10 acres of brush and 40 acres of slough and small lakes; that the soil is chocolate loam with clay subsoil; that there is one and a half miles of two wire fencing and willow posts; that the property is watered by a well and that 60 acres were in crop in 1924.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Griesbach, O'Connor & Company, Solicitors, 19072 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta. Dated at Edmonton in the province of Alberta this 15th day of January, A.D. 1925.

GRIESBACH O'CONNOR & COMPANY, Solicitors
Vendor's Solicitors

Approved: A. T. KINNAIRD,
Dep. Registrar.
(S.S.A.L.)

SALE OF FARM LANDS

There will be offered for sale by George Reynolds, Auctioneer, at the Post Office at Chauvin in the Province of Alberta on SATURDAY the 25th day of FEBRUARY, A.D. 1925, at the hour of 3 o'clock the North Half Sec. 28, T. 42, R. 1 West 4th excepting mines and minerals.

The property is about five miles from Chauvin and consists of 320 acres more or less, of which 180 acres have been under cultivation, and 160 acres have been in brush. The soil is a dark sandy loam.

There is a house 16 x 13 x 10, a stable 6 x 14, and tool house 16 x 18 on the property. There are two wells, and the land is all fenced with three wires.

The land will be offered for sale at an upset price of \$500.00.

Terms: 10 per cent at the time of sale, and the balance to be paid into Court within 60 days from the date of sale, without interest; or the alternative, 10 per cent as aforesaid, and the execution of a mortgage by the purchaser for the sum of \$200.00 and the remainder of the purchase price to be paid into Court within 60 days from the date of sale without interest.

The mortgage shall be for the term of five years, payable, \$100.00 at the end of each of the first four years, and the balance at the end of five years, with interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum payable yearly.

Other conditions shall be the standing conditions of sale of the Supreme Court of Alberta as approved by the Master.

For further particulars apply to R. D. TIGHE & CO. Vendor's solicitors, Imperial Bank Building, Edmonton, Alberta.

Dated this 26th day of November, A.D. 1924. "R. P. WALLACE" C.S.C.A.
Approved: "A. Y. B." M.C.

MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM PROPERTY

Near Butze, Alberta
Saturday, March 7th 1925.

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by the Land Titles Act, under a certain mortgage that will be produced at the time of sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the Post Office in the Village of Chauvin in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday, the seventh day of March, 1925, at the hour of 2.15 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The North-West quarter of Section Two (2) in Township Forty-two (42) Range One (1) West of the Fourth Meridian, containing One Hundred and Fifty-nine (159) acres more or less, excepting One and Thirty-Six Hundredths (1.37) acres for a road-way, reserving mines and minerals, and subject to the exceptions, reservations and conditions in the original grant thereof from the Crown and existing Certificate of Title.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent cash at time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserve bid and free from all encumbrances, save taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about seven miles from Butze Railway Station and that it consists of 107.63 acres of open land; 25 acres of brush and 25 acres of low lying land; and that 100 acres were cultivated at one time; that the soil is sandy loam; that there are situated on the premises Stable and Sheds; that the property is fenced with two strand bar wire with willow posts and is watered by a well.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Griesbach, O'Connor & Company, Solicitors, 19072 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta.

Dated at Edmonton in the Province of Alberta, this 16th day of January A.D. 1925.

GRIESBACH O'CONNOR & COMPANY, Solicitors
Vendor's Solicitors

Approved: "A. T. KINNAIRD,"
Dep. Registrar.
(S.S.A.L.)

He: "I beg your pardon, but look like a girl I know."

She: "Well, you look just like a man I don't want to know."

"My husband never says a cross-word."

"Do you have to work out the puzzles all by yourself?"

Some speakers electricity audien-
ences; others merely gas them.

MUNICIPAL TAXES

	Average Assessed Land and Improvements Only	Average Assessed All other	Total Assessed Valuation	Current Taxes	Total Unencumbered at Dec. 31, 1923	Penalties Added in 1924	Costs Added in 1924	Total Due	Total Collected in 1924	Exemptions and Cancellations
Div. 1.	4735.27	30319.80	38604.59	3085.77	3655.27	272.51	95.00	7109.55	3196.71	316.24
Div. 2.	4607	33803.85	38664.00	3289.47	3238.66	408.12	154.00	7208.05	3661.04	243.11
Div. 3.	5389	34115.63	47572.65	3854.77	3253.20	213.85	65.60	7179.52	3910.53	280.28
Div. 4.	2730	34338.14	44394.60	3332.02	2707.22	172.83	75.19	6778.21	4667.11	334.32
Div. 5.	14656	34116.48	237194.50	2023.77	2750.26	195.41	60.00	4899.44	2149.04	490.63
Div. 6.	891707	33732.67	334539.00	2845.11	3668.09	237.45	60.00	6811.65	3595.01	402.28
Business Tax: Hamlets				379.80	352.83	2.93		635.56	483.31	68.24
Totals	40954.34	201074.57	2195895.74	19101.71	19616.53	1505.65	498.19	40222.08	21362.55	1985.41

Div. 2. Total 1923 Assessments is short \$352.20 of 1923 Statement, in which arrears of Penalties and Taxes was included.

Div. 3. Total 1923 Arrears is short \$253.20 of 1923 Statement, in which arrears of Pests and Weeds was included.

Particulars of Credits and Disbursements of Divisions

Div.	Division	Balance of Appropriation from Previous Year	Dr.	Cr.	Net Amount in Credit to Division	Expenditure on Public Works	Councillors Fees Supervision	Total Expenditure Chargeable to Division	Amount Disbursed During Year	Balance at Dec. 31, 1924
Div. 1.	1493.90			39.60	1454.30	2004.00	34.20	2088.29	2088.29	46.46
Div. 2.	1614.30			39.60	1574.70	2129.25	44.30	2174.15	2174.15	82.13
Div. 3.	1776.70			233.80	1542.90	1945.07	77.60	2022.67	2022.67	263.32
Div. 4.	1864.00			22.30	1841.70	2427.31	81.20	2569.21	2569.21	104.66
Div. 5.	996.20			8.00	1004.20	1069.43	84.20	1093.63	1093.63	112.58
Div. 6.	1835.00			4.50	1830.50	1462.55	72.00	1534.55	1534.55	19.67
Totals	8890.00			287.30	9169.50	10977.71	393.50	11371.24	11371.24	46.46

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF THE DISTRICT
OF EDMONTON
BETWEEN:
UNION BANK OF CANADA
Plaintiff
and
WILLIAM GILBERTSON
CLARENCE GILBERTSON
and LOUIS GILBERTSON.
Defendants

To William Gilbertson and Louis Gilbertson formerly of Dina, Alberta.

TAKE NOTICE that an action has been commenced against you and Clarence Gilbertson in the District Court of the District of Edmonton by Union Bank of Canada, through its solicitors, MacKenzie & Kenny of Wainwright, Alberta, whereby the said Bank claims the sum of \$380.25 being a balance due under a certain promissory note made by you and Clarence Gilbertson to the said Bank dated April 2nd 1920, together with interests and costs.

And further take notice that unless on or before the 25th day of March 1925, you cause to be filed in my office at the Court House at Edmonton a statement of defence or demand of notice, the plaintiff may be given judgement without further notice to you.

The plaintiff's address for service is at the office of Messrs. Macdonald & Day, Barristers, C.P.R. Building, Edmonton, Alberta.

This notice is published pursuant to Order of His Honour Judge Taylor, dated February 6th, A.D. 1925.

W. F. H. MASON,
D. Clerk of the Court.
Approved: H. C. T. J. D. C.

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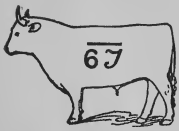
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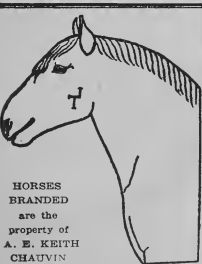


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TEAM HAY .. each feed	40
" HAY (overweight) 2 feeds	1.00
" STALL	25
" STALL (overweight) ..	75
" OATS .. extra ..	20
" OATS .. extra ..	25
" HAY	15
" STALL	15
DANCE	
TEAM HAY	25
SINGLE HAY	25
TEAM STALL	25
SINGLE STALL	20

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Residence, No. 29

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EIGHT ANNUAL

Seed Fair and Poultry Show

To be held in the
I.O.O.F. HALL
CHAUVIN

SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 28th 1925

DR. H. G. POLKINS .. President
P. H. PERRY Secretary-Treasurer

PROGRAMME

10 a.m. All exhibits must be in place
11 a.m. Judging
1 to 3 p.m. Open to the public for
inspection. Market for buying and
selling seed.
3 p.m. Judge's address
5 p.m. Close of fair. Exhibits may be
removed.

Entrance to building: 25c
Exhibitors: Free

SEED GRAINS

1 Red Pits	2.00 1.00 .50
2 Marquise	2.00 1.00 .50
3 Ruby	2.00 1.00 .50
4 Kitchener	2.00 1.00 .50
5 Red Sobe	2.00 1.00 .50
6 Wheat, A. O. V. ..	2.00 1.00 .50
7 Registered Wheat any variety	2.00 1.00 .50
8 Sweepstake-best bushel of Wheat	Diploma
9 Oats, Long, A.V. ..	2.00 1.00 .50
10 Oats, Short, A.V. ..	2.00 1.00 .50
11 Oats, Long, A.V., grown in year 1923	2.00 1.00 .50
12 Oats, Short, A.V., grown in year 1923	2.00 1.00 .50
13 Registered Oats A.V.	2.00 1.00 .50
14 Sweepstake-best bushel of Oats	Diploma
15 Barley, six-rowed ..	2.00 1.00 .50
16 Barley, two-rowed ..	2.00 1.00 .50
17 Rye	2.00 1.00 .50
18 Flax	2.00 1.00 .50

SEED POTATOES

(12 Potatoes to Exhibit)

19 Wae MacGregor ..	2.00 1.00 .50
20 Irish Cobbler	2.00 1.00 .50
21 Rose	2.00 1.00 .50
22 Early Bovees	2.00 1.00 .50
23 Gold Coin	2.00 1.00 .50
24 Early Ohio	2.00 1.00 .50
25 Burbanks	2.00 1.00 .50
26 Any other recognized variety	2.00 1.00 .50
27 Sweepstake	Diploma

LIVE POULTRY

PLYMOUTH ROCKS, BARRED .

28 Cockerel	2.00 1.00 .50
29 Pullet	2.00 1.00 .50
30 Cock	2.00 1.00 .50

For bargains at Sakers

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31 Hen 2.00 1.00 .50
32 Pen: cock and .. 2.00 1.00 .50
33 Pen: cockerel and
two pullets .. 2.00 1.00 .50

PLYMOUTH ROCKS, WHITE
Classes 34 to 39
Same prizes as for Barred
Plymouth Rocks).

WYANDOTTES, WHITE
Classes 40 to 45
Same prizes as for Barred
Plymouth Rocks).

WYANDOTTES, SILVER LACE
Classes 46 to 51
Same prizes as for Barred
Plymouth Rocks).

LEGHORNS, WHITE
Classes 52 to 57
Same prizes as for Barred
Plymouth Rocks).

LEGHORNS, BROWN
Classes 58 to 63
Same prizes as for Barred
Plymouth Rocks).

RHODE ISLAND REDS
Classes 64 to 69
Same prizes as for Barred
Plymouth Rocks).

ORPINGTONS
70 Pen: Cock and
two hens 2.00 1.00 .50

71 Pen: cockerel and
two pullets .. 2.00 1.00 .50

72 Sweepstake: male Diploma
73 Sweepstake: female Diploma

TURKEYS
74 Turkeys, pair of 2.00 1.00 .50
75 Turkeys, pair of
young ones .. 2.00 1.00 .50

DUCKS
76 Ducks, pair 2.00 1.00 .50

GEESSE
77 Geese, pair .. 2.00 1.00 .50

EGGS
78 Dozen White Eggs 1.50 1.00 .50
79 Dozen Brown Eggs 1.50 1.00 .50

RULES

GOVERNING SEED FAIR

1. All exhibitors must be members
of the Chauvin Agricultural Society.

2. In the case of wheat, oats, bar

ley and rye, the exhibitor must have
for sale or be retaining for seed on
his own farm, at least 50 bushels of
wheat, oats, barley and rye, 5 bush-
els of potatoes, 25 bushels of flax.

3. In classes 1 to 16 inclusive one
bushel of seed shall be shown; in
classes 17 to 19 one-half bushel. All
exhibits of seed shall be held to be
representative of the total quantity
of such seed offered for sale by the
exhibitor.

4. No premium shall be awarded
on exhibits that contain impurities
which, in the opinion of the judges,
are of noxious nature.

5. No exhibitor is allowed to make
more than one entry in each class of
Seed Grains and Potatoes.

6. All samples of seed must be
labelled, after judging, with the name
and address of the exhibitor, the name
of the variety, the amount of seed for
sale, and the selling price.

7. The committee in conjunction
with the judges reserve the right to
debar any exhibit on which, in their
judgment, a prohibitive price is
placed.

8. Any exhibitor making entry un-
der any of the above, assumes thereby
guarantees that his exhibit is a fair
sample of the seed he has for sale, and
was grown on his own farm in 1924.
(Exhibits in classes 11 and 12 alone
excepted).

9. Before prizes are paid each ex-
hibitor will be required to certify that
his exhibit strictly complies with re-
gulation. In case of failure to do so
the next in order will be awarded the
prize.

10. In the event of less than three
entries in any class, first or other
prizes will only be awarded at the
discretion of the judge.

11. The society will furnish poultry
cotes in the hall.

12. Entry fee shall be ten per cent
of amount of first prize.

13. Potatoes may be selected.

14. Persons entering registered seed
must produce certificate of registra-
tion at the time of making entry.

15. Exhibitors in Poultry classes
will be allowed the privilege of mak-
ing more than one entry in any de-
scribed poultry class. But no individual
bird, or pen of birds, may be entered
in more than one class.

16. All exhibits for competition for
prizes must be at the I.O.O.F. Hall,
Chauvin, not later than 10 a.m., Sat-
urday, February 21st 1925, and shall
not be removed until the close of the
fair.

ALBERTA REGISTERED SEED GRAIN FOR SALE

Registered and Extra No. 1, Marquise and Ruby
Wheat and Victory and Banner Oats are offered
for sale by the Provincial Government Cleaning
and Grading Plant, Edmonton

For prices and particulars apply to

W. J. Stephens, Field Crops Commissioner
Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, Alberta

**LIVESTOCK AND DAIRY
MEETING AT CHAUVIN**

A meeting in the interests of the Livestock and Dairy Pools was held in the Oddfellows Hall Chauvin February 5th.

Mr. Slattery of Camrose explained the aim and object of the Livestock Pool which was followed by a very interesting discussion.

The various districts surrounding Chauvin were represented at the meeting and after a thorough discussion it was agreed to organize a canvassing committee to

obtain contract signers for the new pools that are now being organized.

Mr. Love spoke on behalf of the Dairy Pool and explained the proposed plan of operation.

The following committee was appointed to proceed with organizing the district for securing contract signers.

Chas. Miller, Chairman; Grover Lassell; Wm. Petrie; Herb. Burton; John Dailly; James Ewen.

Contracts can now be obtained in Chauvin from Mr. A. E. or the office of the Chronicle.

Mr. C. Miller acted as chairman of the meeting in a very efficient manner and explained to the meeting that the head office of the new pool is at 105 C.P.R. Building Edmonton from where any information regarding the pool may be obtained.

It is reported that meetings all along the line have met with considerable success and it is expected that the organizing committees will have no difficulty in obtaining the required number of contract signers.

ROROS U. F. A.

An Oyster Supper will be served in the Roros Schoolhouse by the U. F. A. on Friday, March 6th. Commencing at about 7 o'clock p.m.

AUCTION SALE

An auction sale on Tuesday, March 3rd at N. E. 1-4 28-43 p. 3 1/2 miles N.E. of Ribstone and 6 miles N. W. of Chauvin. of Horses; Cattle; Implements, and

Poultry together with a large quantity of household effects tools, and many other articles, the property of E. M. Eardley will be offered for sale. The sale will be conducted by G. Reynolds. Auctioneer. Chauvin.

NEW RIBSTONE**JUNIOR RED CROSS**

A meeting of the New Ribstone Red Cross Literary Society was held February 6th. The meeting was opened by singing O' Canada.

The president being absent vice-pres. opened the meeting. The minute were read and adopted.

Moved by Mary Eardley. seconded by Wilbert Young that the minutes be adopted.

Moved Ernest Clasper, seconded by Richard Tizzard that the Ribstone pupils have a party on February 13th. Moved Myrtle Young seconded by Alberta Les' all that lunch be served.

There was a short programme after which the meeting was closed by singing "God Save the King."

NOTES FROM NORTH EAST

The weather during the last week was all that could be desired, but Oh, the trials.

Our Marsden friends do nothing by halves. A splendid time was spent last Wednesday evening under the auspices of the newly formed Dramatic Society. A special report will appear.

And next week a meeting is being held for all those who have the community spirit. Who said High School?

Don't let the local news altogether stop your Editorials Mr. Editor. We never fully appreciate good things until we miss them.

Wonder how the special meeting of the ratepayers of Sherlock Lake School District turned out. By the tone of the Annual meeting a new school is a foregone conclusion.

The late experience of the Manitou Lake Telephone Company should forcefully impress upon the shareholders the necessity of attending their Annual meeting, whether they have a kick or not.

It is hoped to have the new telephone directories ready for distribution in a few days.

About sixty cases left. Mostly Wagners, a few Northern Spies. \$2.15 per case at Sakers.

Mr. Garfield Lawson has purchased the entire herd of pure bred Herefords, 29 head, from J. S. Palmer. Going some. Eh Garfield.

A question of the day. What will ultimately become of the Artland School?

Parcels and Foxwell shipping Hogs and Cattle from Chauvin Monday, February 16th.

"My husband never says a cross-word."
"Do you have to work out the puzzles all by yourself?"

AIRLIE NOTES

Quite a crowd from Airlie took in the U.F.A. dance at Butteville Friday night. All reported having a good time. Music was supplied by Messrs Max. Scott Ed Scott. M. Mathieson, accompanied by Mrs. W. Dundas and Mrs. W. J. Harris on organ. M. A. Scott made an efficient floor manager and kept things lively till 3 a.m. An excellent lunch was served by the ladies of the U.F.A. which was much appreciated. A charge of fifty cents was taken.

We noticed some friends from Chauvin were also in attendance.

Airlie Local No. 625 will hold their next meeting February 11th at 7 p.m. All members and intending members are invited to attend.

Do not fail to come to the Airlie U.F.A. dance on February 20th, and have a good time. Everybody's Welcome. Good music and Good Floor.

You would not throw away a good \$50 dollar bill, would you? Then why not deal at Sakers.

LOCAL NOTES OF INTEREST

Mr. Beighton, or Roros, arrived home from hospital at Edmonton, Thursday noon.

Miss Dorothy Saul is making good progress to recovery after undergoing an operation at Edmonton. The same news is also true of Miss M. Rodden, we are glad to add.

Parcels and Foxwell will ship Hogs and Cattle from Chauvin Monday February 16th.

In looking over some adds, of some of Edmonton's leading stores we could not help but note the much lower price in Chauvin on Apples than in that city.

Mrs. Arbuthnot who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Russell of Ribstone, left on Tuesday for Treherne, Man. to visit her sister before returning to her home in Fort William.

Parcels and Foxwell shipping Hogs and Cattle from Chauvin Monday, February 16th.

The 19th Alberta Dragons will hold their meetings on the first and third Saturdays of each month.

The Prosperity Young Peoples Club will hold a Valentines concert and Dance Friday February 13th.

The Chauvin Dramatic Society are rehearsing a new Farce Comedy entitled "A Regular Fix" which they contemplate putting on at Chauvin in the near future.

The regular monthly meeting of the Westminster Ladies Auxiliary will be held on Thursday February 12th at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Foxwell. This is the Annual Meeting and a full attendance is requested.

There was a young boy of Quebec Who fell into the fire to his neck, When asked "Are you friz?" He replied, "Yes I is, But we don't call this cold in Quebec."

"But surely," urged Jones "seeing is believing?"
"Not necessarily, for instance I see you every day."

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32 inches wide. Per Yard 35c****LADIES SILK HOSE. All
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Chauvin, Alberta**Grocery Bargains**

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MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF NERTON, No. 451FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st 1924.

Receipts		Disbursements		HOSPITAL TAXES	
Credit Balance as per Bank Pass Books at December 31st 1923		Total Cheques Outstanding at Dec. 31, 1923		Lloydminster United Municipal Hospital	
Cash on Hand at December 31st, 1923		Paid Dept. of Municipal Affairs:		No. of District 8	
Municipal Taxes		Supplementary Revenue Taxes		Assessment Assessed 101018	
Supplementary Revenue Taxes		Wild Lands Taxes		Total Valuation	
Wild Lands Taxes		Educational Taxes		Mill Rate 2 1-2	
Educational Taxes		Paid School Boards on School Estimates		Current Taxes	
School Taxes		Paid Hall Board on Insurance Levy		Total Uncollected at December 31, 1923	
Hall Insurance Taxes		Paid Hospital Board		Penalties Added in 1924	
Hospital Taxes		Destruction of Pests and Weeds		Total Due	
Advance Repaid during Current Year for		Loans: Municipal Principal		Total Uncollected at December 31, 1924	
Destruction of Pests and Weeds		Interest		Exemptions and Cancellations	
for Relief		School Principal		Due Hosp. Dist. Jan 1, 1924, from Previous	
Loans Current Year, School		Seed Grain		Years Collections	
Exchange		Secretary-Treasurer		Total Amount Paid Hospital District in 1924	
T&M Certificate Fees		Assessor		Balance Due Hospital at December 31, 1924	
Commissions for Taxes Collected		Auditor		Including Previous Years	
Refunds		Attendance and Mileage			
Balance of Purchase Price		Councilors Fees for Supervision of Roads			
Grant Dept. of Municipal Affairs		Secretary-Treasurer's Bond			
Dept. of Public Works		Rent For Council Meetings			
Dept. of Public Works Bridge Expense		Post for Office			
Pound Fees		Rentage Stationery and Office Supplies			
Seed Grain Expense Repaid		Delegates Expense & Membership Fee			
Taxes Overpaid		Election Expenses			
Total Outstanding Cheques at Dec. 31, 1924		Labor			
		Machinery and Repairs			
		Material			
		Tax Sale Costs advertising Sale			
		Refunds			
		Telephone Expense			
		Legal			
		Relief chargeable to land			
		Indigent Relief			
		Dept. of Neglected Children			
		Mothers Allowance			
		Division Expense & Compensation			
		Survey Expense			
		Medical & Health Expense			
		Pound Keepers Deficits			
		School Pair Grants			
		Interest and Exchange			
		Workmens Compensation Board			
		Special Committee Work			
		General Labor			
		Machinery and Culverts			
		Seed Grain Expense			
		Cheques Charged Back			
		Suspense			
		Credit Balances at December 31st 1924 as			
		as per Bank Pass Books			
		Municipal Account (General)			
		Provincial Taxes Trust Account			
		School Taxes Trust Account			
		Hall Insurance Tax Trust Account			
		Hospital Tax Trust Account			
		Seed Grain			
		Total Bank Balance			
		Cash on Hand			
Total		Total			

Assets		Liabilities		Statement of Expenditure for Destruction of Pests	
Total Bank Balances as per Pass Books at December 31, 1924		Total Outstanding Cheques at December 31, 1924		Gopher Poison:	
Cash on Hand December 31, 1924		Uncollected Supplementary Revenue Taxes		Expenses by District, not chargeable	
Uncollected Municipal Taxes		Uncollected Wild Lands Taxes		to land, during 1924	
Uncollected Supplementary Revenue Taxes		Uncollected Educational Taxes		Amount Repaid to District	
Uncollected Educational Taxes		Uncollected School Taxes		Amount Outstanding Including Previous Years	
Uncollected School Taxes		Uncollected Hall Insurance Taxes		Destruction of Weeds	
Uncollected Hospital Taxes		Uncollected Hospital Taxes		Total Amount Expended during 1924 (charge-	
Uncollected Destruction of Pests and Weeds		General Labor		to land)	
Advances to School Districts in Excess of		Machinery and Culverts		Amount Outstanding	
Collections		Seed Grain Expense			
Advances Uncollected Seed Grain		Cheques Charged Back			
Office Furniture and Fixtures		Suspense			
Machinery and Tools		Credit Balances at December 31st 1924 as			
Commissions due on Taxes Collected		as per Bank Pass Books			
Lloydminster Hospital, Capital		Municipal Account (General)			
		Provincial Taxes Trust Account			
		School Taxes Trust Account			
		Hall Insurance Tax Trust Account			
		Hospital Tax Trust Account			
		Seed Grain			
		Total Bank Balance			
		Cash on Hand			
Total		Total			

SCHOOL TAXES														
Name of School District	No. of District	Average Total Assessed	Valuation	Mill Rate	Current Taxes	Total Uncollected at Dec. 31, 1923	Penalties Added in 1924	Total Due	Total Collected in 1924	Exemptions and Cancellations	Total Uncollected at Dec. 31, 1924	Amount School Estimates for Current Year	Amount due on Estimate from previous years	Amount Paid Sch. Estimates on Ex. estimates during previous years
Albion	2866	7425	108758.00	11	119648	1622.31	130.26	2349.45	1567.92	37.30	1967.35	1180.00	210.00	1010.00
Battle Valley	2184	13245	193657.00	12	860	1273.22	1273.22	2711.28	1282.12	1069.35	900.00	300.00	925.00	175.00
Clare	2995	5216	62650.00	12	818.23	1395.86	99.90	2313.93	1658.22	1494.41	760.84	81.00	5817.00	261.44
Croftlands	3362	8574	80230.00	15	1203.32	1731.84	119.34	3064.00	1747.34	152.30	1154.86	1250.00	460.00	1300.00
Empire	4414	2534	45890.00	10	548.90	1139.47	69.53	1767.90	1010.44		747.46	419.15	203.85	453.85
Highborn	4140	5302	80728.00	13	807.93	636.57	62.05	701.43	800.00		864.27	800.00	575.00	450.00
Moyerton	2148	7343	105988.00	10	1059.88	1716.06	138.87	2915.41	1371.55	29.84	1554.102	1048.00	851.95	1001.99
Northern Crown	2840	2809	46212.00	10	462.12	1373.09	86.61	1321.62	1276.26		555.19	400.00	475.00	1050.00
Oxville	3454	7464	106210.00	16	1383.36	2818.16	209.88	4711.40	2156.27	376.24	2278.89	1600.00	312.50	1362.50
Park Valley	3262	5102	107564.00	12	1296.00	1718.56	156.88	2526.24	1326.24		1500.00	175.00	500.00	425.00
Pelican	3980	9151	131313.00	8	1129.88	1258.12	73.22	2460.42	1650.40		800.02	1100.00	648.34	1508.34
Prospect Valley	2129	5592	85716.00	6	525.13	2066.46	152.78	2334.32	1393.04		1341.33	500.00	287.14	500.00
Ridgelyoung	4167	9156	73462.00	4	293.88	133.08	12.07	4374.03	286.96		152.07	264.00	59.05	500.00
Ross	2153	6339	109224.00	12	1296.00	2353.74	138.40	3236.85	1524.21		1688.64	800.00	265.00	425.00
Sutton	2273	4155	53842.00	5	267.04	753.67	36.70	1087.41	745.83		3417.68	296.71	61.13	286.13
Sunnydale	1594	5281	90609.00	6	540.42	1282.99	74.19	1898.60	1121.39		77.21	522.09	220.50	600.00
Unedua	2177	6929	92033.00	7	660.20	2190.47	164.43	3378.10	1447.55	313.00	1436.25	600.00	540.00	750.00
Vaerley	2010	9186	125514.00	10	1255.14	1387.30	100.95	2972.39	1342.46	98.74	1241.19	1500.00	400.00	250.00
Vernon	1927	7701	108677.00	13	1412.67	2196.95	147.86	3446.83	1455.55	408.11	1693.22	1200.00	400.00	1175.00
Woodford	2141	.9793	151421.00	10	1514.21	2555.95	169.49	4239.85	2619.08		1620.77	1400.00	500.00	1400.00
Totals		120355	1591714.00		18659.79	31844.51	2281.98	52786.25	28012.91	1664.21	23109.16	17295.79	5951.69	16871.46

Report Remuneration of Councilors for Supervision of Road Work

Divisions	Name of Councilor	Days Engaged	Rate per Day	Amount Due	Miles Travelled	Rate per mile	Amount Due	Balance Due from Previous Years	Total Due	Amount Paid During Year
Div. 1.	O. Bratvoid	8 1/2	4.00	34.00	159	10c	15.90	...	49.90	49.90
Div. 2.	S. Byers	13	4.00	52.00	321	10c	32.10	...	84.10	84.10
Div. 3.	F. W. Heard	12	4.00	48.00	355	10c	35.50	1.00	74.50	74.50
Div. 5.	D. L. Bennett	14 1/2	4.00	58.00	218	10c	21.80	...	80.00	80.00
Div. 5.	A. Carson	14	4.00	56.00	214	10c	21.40	1.20	78.60	78.60
Div. 6.	A. McKenzie	6 1/2	4.00	27.00	141 1/2	10c	14.15	...	41.15	41.15
Totals (Div. 2. Telephones \$160)		69		278.30	1301 1/4	10c	138.15	2.20	409.95	409.95

Indemnity Council Meetings and Mileage

No. of Meetings	Rate	Total	Amount Due	No. of Miles	Rate per Mile	Amount Due	Total Due	Amount Paid During Year	Balance Owning at Dec. 31 1924
12	4.00	48.00	48.00	216	10c	21.60	69.60	...	...
12	4.00	48.00	48.00	360	10c	36.00	84.00	...	...
12	4.00	48.00	48.00	360	10c	36.00	84.00	...	...
12	4.00	48.00	48.00	276	10c	27.60	75.60	...	...
12	5.00	60.00	60.00	36	10c	3.60	63.60	...	...
12	4.00	48.00	48.00	252	10c	25.20	73.20	...	...
Totals		300.00	300.00	1500	10c	150.00	450.00	398.50	51.50

PROVINCIAL TAXES

Supp. Rev.	Average Assessed Leased Lands Only	Average Assessed All Other Lands	Total Assessed Valuation	Mill Rate	Lease Rate	Current Taxes	Total Uncollected at Dec. 31 1924	Penalties Added in 1924	Total Due	Total Collected in 1924	Exemptions and Cancellations	Total Uncollected at Dec. 31 1924
2844	136236	2000814.00	2137050.00	2	1c	40259.93	7827.63	626.46	11880.22	6232.38	250.81	5397.03
Wild Lands	13068	181903.00	195000.00	10	1c	1819.03	2677.42	237.05	4738.50	1798.84	202.28	2732.38
Educational	2844	75663.00	83229.00	3	1c	268.23	697.17	48.74	1016.14	523.65	11'41	471.94
Totals	5688	155077	2258280'00	1c		6114.19	10702.22	812.45	17628.86	8563.77	464.89	8601.37

on Second Avenue, Newly planted. Apply T. H. SAUL, Chairman.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MERTON, NO. 451

NOTICE TO OWNER OF CATTLE AND HORSE BRANDS

All ratepayers of the Municipal District of Merton are requested to send in full particulars of their cattle and horse brands for the purpose of having same inserted in the municipal Brand Book.

L. B. NICHOLSON Secretary, Dina. Alberta

MUNICIPAL TAXES

Div.	Average Assessed Leased Lands Only	Average Assessed All Other Lands	Total Assessed Valuation	Current Taxes	Mill Rate: 6	Total Uncollected at Dec. 31 1923	Penalties Added in 1924	Costs Added in 1924	Total Due	Total Collected in 1924	Exemptions and Cancellations	Total Uncollected at Dec. 31 1924
Div. 1.	24290	371666.00	395956.00	2229.62		4690.74	308.71	32.50	7221.57	4439.73	79.12	2702.72
Div. 2.	27102	401074.00	428176.00	2406.49		6078.74	404.63	70.00	8960.61	5347.24	212.94	3399.43
Div. 3.	23907	357994.00	381901.00	2147.84		3838.69	240.38	25.00	6251.91	3238.91	366.19	2456.81
Div. 4.	20241	278572.00	298813.00	1671.38		2939.44	243.36	60.10	4964.22	2309.59	204.07	2450.62
Div. 5.	19454	264028'00	283483.00	1584.16		2804.66	292.19	43.00	184.27	2061.85	4632'91	2354.79
Div. 6.	21270	327492.00	348762.00	1964.88		3582.87	259.10	38.00	5246.85	3264.61	143.89	2337.45
2844				21.60		84.74	9.02		115.36	51.08		64.28
Totals	3844	136236	2000814.00	12025.97		23569.78	1667.44	323.30	37952.49	21137.85	1191.48	15668.16

Memorandum of Equipment

Graders	4
Draps	3
Presses	18
Wheel Scrapers	6
Shovel Scrapers	30
Plows	6
Branding Irons	12
Level	1
Disk	1
Paint Cabinets	2
Safe	1
Typewriter	1
Adding Machine	1
Chairs	2
Total Estimated Value	2540.80

Particulars of Credits and Disbursements of Divisions

Div.	Ant-Apportioned Public Works in each Division	Govt. Grant	Balance of Appropriation from Previous Years	Amount to Credit of Division	Expenditures on Public Works	Councilor's Fees for Road Supervision	Total Chargeable to Divisions	Dr. Balance at Dec. 31 1924	Cr. Balance at Dec. 31 1924
Div. 1.	728.54	280.00	249.44	1267.98	1108.13	49.90	1168.03	...	99.95
Div. 2.	797.27	280.00	200.33	1277.60	1071.00	86.70	1156.70	...	120.90
Div. 3.	719.35	285.00	56.94	1061.29	1156.90	74.60	1240.50	...	187.60
Div. 4.	567.14	285.00	141.79	993.93	1017.00	80.00	1107.00	...	113.07
Div. 5.	528.07	285.00	257.59	1070.66	973.40	78.60	1052.00	...	18.66
Div. 6.	668.17	285.00	157.41	1100.58	1001.61	41.15	1042.76	...	57.82
Totals	3980.14	1700.30	1063.10	6742.64	6337.04	409.96	6746.99	200.68	297.33

TAKE NOTICE that a Meeting of the Electors of the Municipal District of Merton, No. 451, will be held at the Winona School House, at one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the Twenty-first day of February 1925 for the discussion of the affairs of the district, and the nomination of candidates for the office of councilors and hospital representative, and that such Nominations will be there and then received between the hours of three and four o'clock in the afternoon.

L. B. NICHOLSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

ply W. J. Cubitt, Box 176, Chauvin.

STRAYED TO MY PREMISES 3 year old shorthorn roan steer, with horns no visible brand. Owner may recover same by paying expenses. John A. Johnson Oxville, 8 1/2 10-46-2-w4th. Alta

STRAYED TO MY PREMISES: One Roan Steer, brand resembles J B with half circle above, on right hip. Owner please pay expenses and remove. J. Dallyn, Ribstone, Alberta.

LOST: SOME CATTLE, branded Laxy A Y over half diamond on right: reward offered for recovery. Mrs Henry Johnson, R. R. 1., Arltland Sask.

WANTED TO BUY: SECOND hand set of sleighs. Apply to W. J. Cubitt, Box 176, Chauvin

FOR SALE: REGISTERED Shorthorn bull calf. Thick easy keeping type. Priced consistent with the times. E. B. Lang Chauvin; Phone 612.

WANTED TO RENT IN CHAUVIN District: Improved half section, equipped or otherwise. Ap-

Lands Insurance Loans

C. P. R. Lands

All C. P. R. Lands are now being sold under the new 34 year terms, equal payments of principal and interest combined. First payment, amounting to seven per cent of the purchase price. All enquiries as to prices, etc., will be given prompt attention.

H. B. Lands

All Hudson's Bay Lands for sale on eight year payment plan. One-eight down. Write or call for prices.

T. H. Saul

Phone No. 16, CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

Chauvin Skating Rink

FAMILY SEASON TICKETS \$5.00
SINGLE SEASON TICKETS \$4.00
CHILD'S SEASON TICKET (under 16 years of age) \$2.00

Tickets may now be purchased from E. Paquette

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

LOST: GOLD SINGNET RING, with Bloodstone, engraved with crest on the stone.

A substantial reward will be paid to any one returning the same to M. T. H. Saul, Barrister at Law, Chauvin, Alta.

FOR SALE: SHORTHORN Cattle. Two pedigree Bull Calves roans. 10 months old, sired by "Village Pride" 95785; reasonable price. Strachan, Chauvin.

STRAYED TO MY PREMISES: 1 two year old red steer, with horns. Branded on right ribs, with brand resembling F and reversed lazy U over bar. V. Dallyn Ribstone, 6-43-2.

CORRECTION

Correction: B. C. Sugar advertised in Sakers Ad. last week 20 lbs. for \$1.00, should read as B. C. Sugar . 20 lbs for \$1.80—This error was made inadvertently at the Chronicle office.

CARD OF THANKS

The officers and members of the Chauvin St. Andrews Society hereby express their very sincere thanks to the ladies, who by their loyal and valuable help, contributed so largely to the enjoyment and success of the recent Burn's celebration.



Good pipes and good pipe values are here also cigars, cigarettes, smoking tobacco and other things smokers want.

G. Mc NUTT

THE POOL ROOM
CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

EXCELLENT CONCERT

GIVEN BY AMATEUR
DRAMATIC SOCIETY

On Wednesday night February 11th, an entertaining concert was given to the district by the members of the Marsden Amateur Dramatic Society.

They are to be congratulated upon the quality of the entertainment. The following order of items were rendered.

Song—S. H. Chapman.
Musical Trio—Pritchett Bros. and Lavold.

Impersonations—Mrs. L. J. Brown

Violin Solo—Mrs. Geo. Jones
Recitation—A. E. Ringer assisted by D. Armstrong.

Musical Trio—Pritchett Bros. and Lavold.

Patter—A. E. Ringer and D. Armstrong.

Song—Mrs. F. McKenzie.
Conjuring—W. J. McGinnie.
Humorous Sketch—Mrs. R. G. Bruce and E. Williamson.

Mrs. Foley ably accompanied at the piano.

The proceeds of the concert go towards community purposes and it is gratifying to learn that the surplus after expenses were paid was a goodly sum.

OLD TIMERS OF DISTRICT
TO CELEBRATE BF DANCE

A meeting of the Old Timers of the district was held in the Roy Hall, Chauvin, last Saturday afternoon. The chair was taken by Mr. C. W. Ryall, and A. E. Keith was appointed secretary. On motion of T. Armour and C. Matheson it was decided to hold an Old Timers dance on Friday 27th. Mr. L. E. Roy kindly volunteered the free use of his hall

for this occasion, for which he was accorded a hearty vote of thanks. Invitations will be issued by the committee who are now busy preparing a list of the old-timers of the district.

LATER: The committee having experienced some difficulty in compiling the list of Old Timers may find it necessary to postpone this dance for a week or two.

SPECIAL NOTICE

CHANCE OF DATE OF
CHAUVIN SEED FAIR

On account of the fact that the annual meeting of the ratepayers of the M.D. of Ribstone and of the Chauvin Seed Fair and Poultry Show having been announced for the same date the directors of the fair have decided to postpone same for one week and it will be held on Saturday February 28th.

PROSPERITY NOTES

On Friday afternoon a very exciting curling game took place when F. Harris (skip), B. Saul, Eddie Cahill and H. Eggen played the Prosperity ladies.

The score was very undecided, The boys say 7-4 in their favor. The girls say 14-7 in their favor. Who is right!

An interesting game took place at the rink on Monday afternoon Feb. 2nd when a men's rink composed of A. Burke (skip), F. Harris, A. Spence, F. Ryall played a ladies rink composed of F. Cahill (skip) I. Harris, C. Spence and E. Burke. The ladies were defeated by a score of 18-3. Say, girls how does it feel to be defeated.

We are pleased to see Mrs. W. Rodden home again, after spending the past month visiting Mrs. J. King, Mundare and Mrs. S. Lewis Edmonton.

Some of the Prosperity young folks have taken advantage of the moonlight nights to go horse-back riding.

How about a case of the very best Apples. Fancy quality, guaranteed, perfect condition. Several varieties to choose from and in any size apple you may wish \$2.75 per case at Sakers.

A rink from Prosperity won ashtays at the Wainwright Bonspiel.

Don't forget the concert and dance next Friday.

Another curling game between the boys and girls being a score of 7-1. In the last end the two counting rocks were the same distance in the counting line.

M... and Mrs. C. Miller were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Niel Tuesday evening.

Miss E. Burke is a frequent visitor at Prosperity.

Some people like travelling in the morning.

Parcels and Foxwell shipping Hogs and Cattle from Chauvin Monday, February 16th.

To get value for your money you have to buy right. An honest deal at Sakers.

RIBSTONE W. I. NOTES

The monthly meeting of the Ribstone Womens Institute was held in the Municipal Hall on Saturday February 6th; there was a good attendance. Miss Winnifred Royce was appointed Secretary-Treasurer and all business matters were promptly attended to. Nine dollars and fifty cents to be sent to the Provincial Fund. One dollar was collected in response to the call to the Institute for the Red Cross Calgary to be sent for a sick mother and family. A full program of variations was arranged for the next meeting March 7th, to which is extended a cordial invitation to one and all.

The Ribstone W. I. are arranging for a play to be given on the 13th of March in the Municipal Hall Ribstone.

SUBSCRIPTIONS NOW PAYABLE

Down—B. C. Sugar per 100 \$8.95 at Parcels and Foxwells.

BUCKLEY'S
BRONCHITIS
MIXTURE
FOR
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AT ALL DRUGGISTS
40 75¢
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Sold in Chauvin by
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FOR THIS WEEK ONLY: Your Opportunity to obtain a Supply for HouseCleaning Time

LAUNDRY SOAPS

LUX	9 pkts for 1.00
SUNLIGHT, 4 bar cartons	4 cartons for 90c
ROYAL CROWN 5 bar cartons	4 cartons 95c
GOLD SOAP	15 bars for \$1.00
P. & G. WHITE NAPHTHA	15 bars for \$1.00
FELS NAPHTHA, 10 bar carton	per carton 90c
SOPADE WASHING POWDER, 50 oz pkts	30c
GOLD WEST WASHING POWDER, pkt	30c

TOILET SOAPS

OUR JUDGE	22 bars for \$1.00
ROYAL CROWN HARD WATER	13 bars \$1.00
PALMOLIVE, or LIFEBOUY	12 bars for \$1.00
LE LYS, or ALMON COCA, 12 large bars	\$1.00

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CANNED RIPE PEAS No No. 2. size tins	7 tins for 1.00
LIBBYS PORK AND BEANS No. 2 size tins.	7 tins for 1.00
GOSSE MILLERDS HERRIN IN TOMATO SAUCE	7 tins .50
MACARRONI, VERMICELLI or SPAGHETTI	3 pkts for .25
CREAM SODA BISCUIT large pkts.	each .25
\$ BOXES SODA BISCUIT	each .80
CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS RAISINS	5 lb. for .60
CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS RAISINS per 25 lb box for	2.70
CALIFORNIA PRUNES in 5 lb cartons	each .60
EVAPORATED LOGANBERRIES 8 oz pkts	2 for .45
SEEDED RAISINS 15oz pkts.	2 for .25
FRESH TOMATOES, LETTUCE, CELERY & CABBAGE	

6 Boxes Royal Crown Soap & Tomatoes. No. 2 1/2 tins	
1 can Lye	All for \$1.50
Honey, pure White Clover, in 10 large bars of White Naptha	5 tins for 90c
(reg 10c) Soap and 1 packet 5 lb pails	\$1.00
Ammonia (reg 15c)	75c
Black Tea, pure Indian	
Jumbo Carbolic Soap (similar per lb	60c
to Lifebuoy) Large cakes.	
Japan Green Tea . . . per lb	65c
11 cakes for 50c	
Rogers Syrup . . . 10 lb pail	95c
Ontario Cheese. . . per lb	28c
B.C. Sugar . . . 20lbs	\$1.80

Arrives for Sale this Week-End
FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES OF ALL KINDS

Saker's

Phone 31
Chauvin

Hardware

GALVANIZED TUBS, No. 2	\$1.75
DRY CELL BATTERIES, No. 6	.50
RAW LINSEED OIL	per gallon 1.75
GALVANIZED BOILERS	1.50
JUBILEE WASHING MACHINE	20.00
LARIAT ROPES	1.25
NICKELLED TEA KETTLES	2.50
FLOUR CANS, 100 lbs	4.00
STOVE POTS, No. 9. Enamelled	1.00

HARNESS FOR SPRING
WILL ARRIVE THIS WEEK

J. A. Montjoy

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